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SUBJECT: 21ST UNDP GOVERNING COUNCIL - DECISION

ON RATIONALIZATION OF PROCEDURES FOR CONSIDERATION OF COUNTRY PRO-  
GRAMS (AGENDA ITEM 4)

REF: USUN 371

1. THE GOVERNING COUNCIL ON 3 FEBRUARY ADOPTED BY  
CONSENSUS A DECISION ON PROCEDURES FOR APPROVING COUNTRY  
PROGRAMS. THE DECISION, AS AMENDED, IS QUOTED BELOW  
AS PARAGRAPH TWO OF THE CABLE.

2. QUOTE

AGENDA ITEM 4:

PROCEDURES OF APPROVING COUNTRY PROGRAMMES

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INSERT NEW PARAGRAPH (E):

RECONFIRMS THAT COUNTRY PROGRAMMES SHOULD BE

"FORMULATED ACCORDING TO THE GENERAL PRINCIPLES OF COUNTRY

PROGRAMMING AS LAID DOWN IN THE CONSENSUS OF 1970

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PROCEDURES FOR APPROVING COUNTRY PROGRAMMES  
DRAFT DECISION ON THE GOVERNING COUNCIL

THE GOVERNING COUNCIL,

(A) RECALLS ITS DISCUSSION ON THE EXPERIENCE IN COUNTRY PROGRAMMING AT THE TWENTIETH SESSION OF THE GOVERNING COUNCIL;

(B) EXPRESSES THE DESIRE TO CONTINUE THE PRACTICE OF GIVING MEMBERS, IF THEY WISH, THE OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT ON ANY COUNTRY PROGRAMME SUBMITTED FOR APPROVAL;

(C) BELIEVES THAT THE PRESENT PROCEDURE FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF COUNTRY PROGRAMMES IN PRIVATE MEETINGS OF THE COUNCIL IS BASICALLY SOUND AND SHOULD BE CONTINUED;

(D) DECIDES TO RETAIN FOR THE TIME BEING AS THE BASIS FOR ITS CONSIDERATIONS AND APPROVAL THE COUNTRY PROGRAMME DOCUMENTS SUPPLEMENTED BY A NOTE BY THE ADMINISTRATOR;

(E) RECALLS THE GENERAL ENDORSEMENT AT THE TWENTIETH SESSION OF THE ADMINISTRATOR'S SUGGESTION THAT THE COUNTRY PROGRAMME DOCUMENTS DURING THE SECOND CYCLE SHOULD IDENTIFY TECHNICAL CO-OPERATION REQUIREMENTS MAINLY IN TERMS OF OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES, INCLUDING THE DEGREE OF PROJECT INFORMATION ENDORSED BY THE TWENTIETH SESSION, THE COUNTRY PROGRAMME DOCUMENTS THUS BEING OF LIMITED VOLUME;

(F) REQUESTS THE ADMINISTRATOR IN HIS ACCOMPANYING NOTE TO PROVIDE A SUCCINCT AND DECISION-FOCUSED PRESENTATION COVERING, INTER ALIA, THE FOLLOWING:

- (I) MAJOR ASPECTS OF THE COUNTRY DEVELOPMENT PERSPECTIVE;
- (II) IDENTIFICATION OF THE DEVELOPMENT OBJECTIVES TOWARDS THE ACHIEVEMENT OF WHICH THE GOVERNMENT WISHES TO APPLY UNDP ASSISTANCE ; AND
- (III) A SUMMARY OF THE SIGNIFICANT FEATURES OF THE COUNTRY PROGRAMME,

INCLUDING THE TABLES PRESENTLY PROVIDED;  
IN ORDER TO PROVIDE THE GOVERNING COUNCIL WITH A POLICY ORIENTED BASIS FOR ITS CONSIDERATIONS.  
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(G) APPEALS TO THE COUNCIL MEMBERS TO FOCUS DURING THE DISCUSSIONS ON ISSUES OF BROAD SIGNIFICANCE RAISED BY THE COUNTRY PROGRAMMES;

(H) REQUESTS THE ADMINISTRATOR, WHEN APPROPRIATE, TO REPORT TO THE COUNCIL ON PARTICULAR PROBLEMS AND TRENDS OF A GENERAL POLICY NATURE DERIVING FROM COUNTRY PROGRAMMES SUBMITTED FOR APPROVAL;

(I) REQUESTS THE ADMINISTRATOR ON A REGULAR BASIS TO  
FURNISH THE COUNCIL WITH INFORMATION ON THE ACTUAL IMPE-  
MENTATION OF PREVIOUSLY APPROVED COUNTRY PROGRAMMES.  
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